

COATED FOOD PRODUCTS MADE FROM SHAPED DOUGH
SUBSTRATES AND METHOD OF PREPARING SAME

ABSTRACT OF DISCLOSURE

5 A new type of food product made from shapeable, shape-retaining dough whose principal ingredient may be potato or essentially any grain-based flour or the like. The dough is shaped, coated with a batter/slurry made from flour or starch and water plus desired seasoning, coloring, *etc.*, and then cooked, or parfried and frozen for subsequent reconstitution (finish-cooking) in a toaster, gradient oven, microwave oven, grill, broiler or the like. The finished
10 product has a crispy/crunchy exterior and a light, fluffy interior, with many variations made possible by different dough types, *etc.* One particular embodiment is a potato waffle which is reconstitutable in a domestic toaster and has a soft, moist interior and crispy exterior.